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SUBJECT: DRAFT ARRIVAL STATEMENT FOR AMBASSADOR GERARD

1. HERewith THE TEXT OF A DRAFT ARRIVAL STATEMENT FOR AMBASSADOR GERARD. "I UNDERSTAND THAT COLUMBUS CONSIDERED JAMAICA TO BE THE MOST BEAUTIFUL OF HIS DISCOVERIES. AS MRS. GERARD AND I FLEW OVER YOUR MOUNTAINS AND SEAS A FEW MOMENTS AGO WE HAD EVERY REASON TO AGREE WITH HIM. WE ARE DELIGHTED AT THE GOOD FORTUNE THAT HAS BROUGHT US TO YOUR ISLAND AND LOOK FORWARD TO A LONG AND HAPPY ASSOCIATION WITH YOU. IN THE COURSE OF RECENT MEETINGS WITH WESTERN HEMISPHERE FOREIGN MINISTERS IN MEXICO AND IN THE UNITED STATES, SECRETARY KISSINGER HAS STRESSED TWO THEMES- INDEPENDENCE AND INTER-DEPENDENCE. UNDER HIS LEADERSHIP WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO FORGE A NEW KIND OF RELATIONSHIP WHICH FULLY RECOGNIZES THE INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY OF THE NATIONS OF THE HEMISPHERE AS WELL AS THE MARKED DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THEM, BUT WHICH AT THE SAME TIME TAKES INTO ACCOUNT THE GROWING INTER-DEPENDENCE BETWEEN US AND THE EXTENT TO WHICH WE NEED ONE ANOTHER TO ENSURE OUR OWN FURTHER SAFETY AND DEVELOPMENT. THE RELATIONSHIP THAT HAS BEEN DEVELOPED BETWEEN JAMAICA AND THE UNITED STATES SINCE YOUR INDEPENDENCE IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE KIND OF PARTNERSHIP WE ARE TRYING TO ACHIEVE THROUGHOUT THE HEMISPHERE. IN DEVELOPING THIS KIND OF RELATIONSHIP WITH THE UNITED STATES, JAMAICA HAS BEEN AHEAD OF ITS TIME. I LOOK FORWARD TO PLAYING A ROLE, TOGETHER WITH PRIME MINISTER MANLEY AND YOUR OTHER MINISTERS, IN THE FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN JAMAICA AND MY OWN COUNTRY."

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MENT OF PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN JAMAICA AND MY OWN COUNTRY."

2. AMBASSADOR GERARD IS, OF COURSE, FREE
TO MAKE WHATEVER USE HE SEES FIT OF THE ABOVE DRAFT,
AND IN ANY EVENT IT WILL HAVE TO BE ADAPTED TO THE
CIRCUMSTANCES PREVAILING ON THE DATE OF THE AMBASSADOR'S
ARRIVAL. HEWITT

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